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In re application of:

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Petition For Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Mail Stop Missing Parts
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Dear Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for filing missing parts of Non-provisional Application be extended five months from **March 29, 2004** to **August 30, 2004** (August 29 being a Sunday) by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

The petition fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)) is believed to be **\$2,010.00** for a five-month extension for a large entity (enclosed herewith). However, if extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. **08-3038**, referencing Docket No. **05911.0006.CNUS04**.

Respectfully submitted,

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